

THE EVENING NEWS.

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BENTON HARBOR, MICH., SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1900.

TWO CENTS.

PUBLICITY EVERYTHING

Benton Harbor Must Be
Advertised.

Letter and \$10 from Mr.
Higman.

Citizens Approve Capt.
Lee's Plan.

The plan of Capt. J. H. Lee to advertise systematically the fact that the Farwell company has decided to locate in Benton Harbor is meeting with a prompt response. It appears that the task of raising a few hundred dollars for this purpose will be quick and easy. Subscriptions of \$1 each will do the work.

The advantage of getting a few lines in every sort of a paper is illustrated by a little incident related by Milton Hinkley, of the Colby-Hinkley company. This company was the first basket firm to manufacture melon boxes—boxes in which to plant the melon seed in hot houses. Mr. Hinkley succeeded in getting in one of the trade papers an item telling of the new method of raising melons and getting them earlier on the market. A reader of the paper wrote the editor asking where the melon boxes could be had and as a matter of information the editor answered through his paper that the only place they were then manufactured was at the factory of Colby-Hinkley at Benton Harbor. The result was that the local company received orders from all over the country, customers they had never heard of before. If the fact of low freight rates and other inducements this city offers can be made known there will be a hundred small establishments that are dissatisfied with their present location that will gladly come to Benton Harbor.

Send or telephone your subscriptions to the publicity fund to THE EVENING NEWS. The board of trade will appoint a committee to spend the money in a way that will do the most good.

The publicity fund was started with a \$5 subscription by Capt. Lee and John Higman of St. Joseph adds \$10 to the amount. To do any good a fund of at least \$100 is necessary. Employes in the various stores and factories and mechanics working on buildings are requested to take up collections and forward the same to this office. The amounts will be deposited in one of the banks to the credit of the committee which the board of trade will appoint to do the advertising.

There is no one who will not be benefited by the larger growth of the city. The mechanic will be more certain of more steady employment, there will be more chance for larger salaries with the clerks as the city grows, and every sort of labor will be benefited. The business men have raised \$9,500 in cash and given their notes for a considerable sum in addition and the plan to advertise what has been done should be paid for in small sums by every citizen.

MR. HIGMAN IN LINE

Believes Capt. Lee's Idea is Worth \$10 to Him.

President Miller, of the board of trade, this morning received the following letter from John Higman, Jr. of St. Joseph, enclosing \$10:

"I am much pleased with Capt. Lee's suggestion to thoroughly and systematically advertise Benton Harbor. I enclose herewith my check to your order \$10 for that purpose."

"There is no reason why the twin cities should not have a score or more

THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Sunday with possibly rain or snow flurries Sunday. Warmer north portion tonight. Easterly winds.

of new factories within one year, if the advantages of this locality are properly advertised in the larger cities, especially Chicago.

Mr. Lee's reference to the Truscott Boat Mfg. Co. reminds me of the kindness of a Benton Harbor gentleman in sending Mr. James Truscott to me a few years ago with a letter of introduction. Benton Harbor withheld the small encouragement required and thus gave me the pleasure of taking the initiative steps in securing this promising industry for St. Joseph. Today they have 128 skilled men on their pay rolls and are advertising extensively for more machinists. Still the business is in its infancy.

"I have placed an order for 25,000 illustrated booklets for distribution among well-to-do people, and in various other ways will widely advertise my resort property the coming season. I hope and expect to induce many people to come here."

"Very truly yours, JOHN HIGMAN," President Miller replied, thanking Mr. Higman for his check and his suggestion.

CHEERS FOR BENTON HARBOR.

Berrien Centre Man Sends His Congratulations.

J. J. Miller, president of the board of trade, has received the following letter:

Berrien Centre, Mich., Feb. 8.—To the officers and members of the board of trade, Benton Harbor, Mich. Dear Sirs: In behalf of the people of this village I congratulate you upon your successful efforts in securing for your city the Farwell overall factory. This further demonstrates the public spirit and enterprise of the business men of your city. This will prove as "bread cast upon the waters." It will return in many "ways." Yours for the factory. ERASTUS MURPHY.

LOOKING OVER THE FACTORY

Farwell Company Looking After Interests Here.

Accompanied By Two Chicago Sketch Artists.

A son of John V. Farwell, accompanied by Mr. Campbell and two sketch artists, arrived from Chicago last evening and spent today in looking over their new factory. The artists are making sketches of the factory which will appear in a new catalogue soon to be issued by the John V. Farwell company.

The gentlemen were also looking for residence for the superintendent of their factory, who wants to move here the first of next week.

It can be seen that the Farwells are business through and through.

A SUDDEN DEATH.

Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sweet Died in Chicago.

Mrs. W. M. Dunham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sweet, died at her home in Chicago very suddenly last night.

A telegram was received by Mr. Sweet about 10 o'clock last night stating the sad news and Mr. and Mrs. Sweet and Mrs. George B. Thayer left on the early morning train.

The funeral will be held from the family home in Chicago tomorrow morning.

Mrs. Dunham was 35 years of age and was born in St. Joseph, Michigan, and had a host of friends in the twin cities. She leaves a husband and two children.

SCHOOL TEACHER ARRESTED

For Severely Whipping a 10-Year Old Boy.

Deputy Sheriff Joseph Tenant went to Stevensville yesterday afternoon and arrested William Siford, a school teacher, for whipping Richard Ott, a ten year old boy.

Siford appeared in Justice St. Clair's court in St. Joseph this morning for his examination which is in progress this afternoon.

It is claimed that Siford took a heavy ruler and succeeded in breaking it over the little boy's head since which time the boy has been sick.

Siford explains the whipping by saying that the boy would not mind.

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TAYLOR WON'T YIELD FIGHT.

REFUSES TO SIGN THE LOUISVILLE AGREEMENT.

BUT HAS ORDERED THE TROOPS OUT OF FRANKFORT.

By Telegraph to Evening News.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 10.—Governor Taylor refused today to sign the Louisville agreement for the settlement of the contest in that state.

However, he agreed to leave the matter to the courts and abide by their decision. If the courts count him out, he will peaceably leave the office and there will be no trouble.

Taylor will permit the legislature to meet at the capitol in Frankfort next Monday and he has ordered the soldiers to go home.

BUCHANAN TURNS BECKWITHS DOWN

LET DOWAGIAC GIVE BENTON HARBOR A CHANCE.

The village board of Buchanan has turned down the proposition of the Beckwith estate of Dowagiac to move their furnace plant to Buchanan and appointed a committee toicker with the managers of the estate.

It is not likely that the compromise the village wishes to make will be accepted.

The Beckwith estate should now investigate the advantages that Benton Harbor has to offer.

MR. BABCOCK DEAD.

AN OLD PIONEER OF BENTON HARBOR AND GOOD CITIZEN.

George Babcock, one of the pioneer settlers of this city, died at his home on Maple street yesterday after an illness of nearly four years, the last few months of which he has been confined to his bed. He was 81 years of age.

Mr. Babcock moved to this city with his parents in 1858 and for many years conducted a meat market. He built and is the owner of the brick block now occupied by W. R. Summerhill, on Pipestone street. When the civil war broke out he enlisted with the 12th Michigan volunteer infantry and served with distinction the entire four years. He leaves a wife and two children. Bert Babcock, who is employed in the meat market of Crisp & McCollough, and Mrs. A. Wrenn who also resides in this city.

The funeral will be held from the First Methodist church tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock followed by burial in the Morton cemetery.

IS STILL ALIVE

The Man Who Was Found on the St. Joseph Pier.

S. A. Howard, the man found on the pier at St. Joseph yesterday morning nearly frozen to death, was somewhat improved this morning but it is not thought that he can live. He passed a very bad night and suffered untold pain in both his limbs which were frozen.

It is understood that the attending physician declares that both limbs will have to be amputated. Mr. Howard's son declares that he will never allow the operation to be performed.

Decree of Divorce Granted.

On the 19th of January, 1900, Mrs. Nelly Strickland Berry was granted a decree of absolute divorce from her husband, Matthew E. Berry, by Judge Coolidge in the county court, St. Joseph, Michigan.

Forger is Captured.

John Martin the fellow who swindled an aged lady of Three Oaks out of \$700 a few months ago has been captured at Marshalltown, Iowa, where he was wanted for forgery.

Sheriff Ferguson intends to bring Martin to this county.

A Night of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Barnham of Michigan, Mich., when the doctors said she would die from Pneumonia before morning," writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fatal night, but she begged for Dr. King's New Discovery, which had more than once saved her life, and eaten her of Consumption. After taking it, she slept all night. "Further use entirely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50¢ and \$1.00. Trial bottles 10 cents at Lowe & Witmer's drug store.

Masquerade Ball at Sister Lakes.

George W. Adams will give a masquerade ball at Forest Home hall, Sister Lakes, Thursday evening, February 22. The Beckwith Memorial orchestra of Dowagiac will furnish music. There will be a cake walk at 12 o'clock. Dance bill, 50 cents; supper, 25 cents. You are invited.

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HAS NOT YET SIGNED AGREEMENT.

Intimates That He May Not Accept It,
But Prediction Is Made That
He Will Sign Within
24 Hours.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 10.—Gov. Taylor has not signed the Louisville peace agreement. He announces moreover that he has no intention of doing so for some time, and does not know whether he will sign it at all. On the other hand the democrats are confident that he will affix his signature to the document. Friday was a day of conferences in Frankfort. They were in full swing from morning until night, and outwardly nothing tangible resulted from them. The situation is to all appearances exactly where it was when the peace agreement was first submitted to Gov. Taylor.

On the morning train from Louisville came the republican attorneys, David W. Fairleigh and Judge John W. Barr, both of whom were members of the Louisville conference on the republican side. Immediately upon arrival Mr. Fairleigh called upon Senator Blackburn at the Capital hotel, and after a few words with him went in company with Judge Barr and Gen. Dan Lindsay to the office of Gov. Taylor. A conference was held there from eleven o'clock until one o'clock.

DUBLINS AND INNISKILLINGS ACROSS THE TUGELA.

[From the Illustrated London News.]



During the left attack on Coenso by Gen. Hart's brigade some of the Dublin fusiliers and some Inniskilling fusiliers managed to get across the river and pushed forward, but were driven back by the tremendous fire poured in on them. The Dublins lost about 14 drowned and the Inniskillings three or four drowned while crossing. The picture represents the men when they had just crossed.

when an adjournment was taken. In the afternoon another conference was held, which lasted until 5:30.

It was impossible to learn the result of the protracted debate. Every one of those who took part in the conference preserved a sphinx-like silence in regard to what transpired behind the governor's door, absolutely refusing to discuss the matter in any way. From the governor's office Gen. Lindsay, Judge Barr, Attorney Fairleigh and Mr. Edelen went at once to Gen. Lindsay's law office, where a brief conference was held, and the course of action to be pursued discussed, and shortly after six o'clock Judge Barr and Attorney Fairleigh took the train for Louisville.

Change in Situation.
Late at night the situation was somewhat changed. Adj't Gen. Collier was again called into Gov. Taylor's office about eight o'clock and was in consultation with him until a late hour, but would say nothing as to what transpired. From other and authoritative sources, however, it was learned that decision had finally been reached, and that the peace agreement probably would receive the signature of Gov. Taylor inside of 24 hours.

Gov. Beckham Issues Statement.
Louisville, Ky., Feb. 10.—Gov. Beckham made the following statement Friday:

"No member of the legislature who comes to Louisville need fear arrest. I shall not allow members of the general assembly to be arrested."

Gov. Beckham said that he was fully prepared to protect the legislature and to arrest any person who interfered with its members.

The democratic legislature met again Friday, in pursuance of the plans adopted early in the week. In the senate 20 members, one more than a quorum, were present. Resolutions of respect to the memory of Gov. Goebel were adopted, and the senate adjourned until Saturday morning.

In the house repeated roll-calls failed to disclose more than 19 members, two less than a quorum. A recess until three o'clock was taken, the democratic managers asserting that enough members to transact business are now in the city.

To Arrest Democrats.

London, Ky., Feb. 10.—Sergeant-at-Arms Cecil, of the house, and Howard, of the senate, left after one o'clock this (Saturday) morning on the northbound train, armed with warrants for the arrest of absent democratic members of both houses. Late last evening it was finally decided by the senate officers to make out the warrants for the arrest of absent democratic senators without waiting for the arrival of Lieut. Gov. Marshall and send Howard with Cecil, who had already been given his warrants from the house. Where the two were going could not be ascertained here, as no tickets were purchased and they refused to tell.

Expect Important Evidence.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 10.—The authorities expect to obtain important evidence regarding the assassin of Gov.

Goebel from Silas Jones, who was arrested Friday morning. Jones has already made a partial confession. He declares that he personally knows nothing of the crime, but says that Harlan Whittaker, who was arrested immediately after the shooting while running from the executive building, from which the shots were fired, knows a great deal about the crime. It is believed that Jones gave more information than that regarding Whittaker, and that what he told the police may lead to further arrests in the neighborhood of Richmond, Madison county, Ky.

A WARM SESSION.

Exciting Scene in the House—Occupant of the Chair Is Scored by Democrats.

Washington, Feb. 10.—There was a scene at the night session of the house Friday night which momentarily recalled the stirring and exciting days of the Fifty-first congress. An irate member rushed down the main aisle brandishing his arms and shouting for recognition while half the democratic members were on their feet execrating the occupant of the chair for what they termed his arbitrary course, and from several places in the hall came loud hisses. Last Friday night Mr. Talbert (dem., S. C.) blocked private pension legislation because there was no quorum present and threatened to continue to do so at every subsequent Friday night session unless a quorum was present. His warning had its effect. There was an unusually large attendance when the house was called to order at eight o'clock Friday night. Speaker Henderson himself was in the

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MUCH HARBOR WORK.

It Will Be Done at Michigan Ports This Year Despite No Appropriation.

\$37,000 FOR THIS HARBOR.

Other Michigan Harbors Have Large Amounts to Their Credit.

Washington, Feb. 10.—There has been some surprise this year over the reported determination of the river and harbor committee not to present any appropriation bill during the first session of congress. Congressman R. P. Bishop, of Michigan, who is within one seat of the head of the table on Chairman Burton's river and harbor committee, explained that while the committee was working all the time and giving hearings, yet its decision not to report a bill was intended to benefit the very rivers and harbors that need improving. He said: "There is so much money now remaining unspent that we are not in position to say just what requirements will be when the appropriations at present available are exhausted. We thought that a considerable of this money would be spent during the coming eight or nine months, and then we would be in position to know just what was needed. It is for this reason only that we decided to wait until the early days of the second session before making up the new list of appropriations."

The following amounts will be available for the various Michigan harbors July 1:

St. Joseph	.....	\$37,013
St. Joseph river	.....	16
South Haven	.....	40,247
Saugatuck	.....	2,855
Kalamazoo river	.....	14,980
Holland Black lake	.....	16,954
Grand Haven	.....	19,374
Grand river	.....	60,953
Muskegon	.....	50,598
Pentwater	.....	3,916
Ludington	.....	25,890
Saugatuck river	.....	51,679

WILL EMPLOY 500 HANDS.

Chicago Inter Ocean Interviews John V. Farwell.

Chicago Inter Ocean: John V. Farwell & Co., have accepted the offer of Benton Harbor and will locate their overall factory in that place. The city gives the dry goods firm a building and grounds sufficient to accommodate 1,000 hands. If the factory is operated for a certain number of years J. V. Farwell & Co. are to have a clear title to the property. Mr. Farwell said that 100 hands would be put to work at once and that this number would be increased as fast as the factory could be made ready for them until at least 500 were employed. Most of the employees will be women, farmers' daughters from the neighborhood. The shop will be light and airy, with all modern conveniences. Mr. Farwell believes that toilers will be much happier and healthier with country surroundings and fresh air. The factory will cost about \$10,000, all of which has been raised by the citizens of Benton Harbor.

CONGRESSMAN HAMILTON.

Gave His Ideas in an Address on Trusts.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 10.—Congressman E. L. Hamilton is one of the deepest and most careful students in the house today, and it was for that reason that the Men's club of Dr. Wallace Badelife's church, the club of which Justice Harlan of the United States supreme court is president, asked him to make an address on trusts and the remedy to be applied. Mr. Hamilton made the talk Tuesday night. He said in part that he did not believe the present laws could be made to reach them, nor did he believe that any law could reach them until a constitutional amendment to the constitution was passed. He thought no unification of state laws could be made to control them, but was decidedly in favor of getting legislation that would make it possible to regulate them. His speech was very closely listened to by a large number of the club members.

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Masquerade Ball at Sister Lakes.

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FREIGHT TOO HIGH

Montgomery Ward Will Move Carriage Factory From Kalamazoo.

Benton Harbor Can Furnish the Right Kind of Rate.

Yesterday's Chicago Tribune said: "Montgomery Ward & Co. are contemplating the removal to Chicago of their carriage factory at Kalamazoo, Mich. George A. Thorne, secretary of the firm, said yesterday that the plant probably would be removed as soon as the labor troubles in Chicago were settled. Increase in freight rates for the present location is the reason for removal. The factory employs 300 men, and has a capacity of 50 light vehicles a day."

In speaking of the matter the Kalamazoo News says:

"Under an agreement with the chamber of commerce the company has agreed to remain in Kalamazoo a period of two years, from the time of its establishment here, during which time the chamber of commerce has agreed to pay the rent on the buildings occupied by the company. The factory will probably remain in Kalamazoo until the agreement is fulfilled."

If freight rates are an inducement the Benton Harbor board of trade will lose no time in placing the figures before Montgomery Ward & Co., showing the advantages of this city.

Money in the Apple Business.

Dowagiac Republican: In conversation with a Van Buren county fruit grower, recently, he informed the writer that he had an orchard of 250 Duchesne apple trees which was more valuable than any peach farm of the same size in the county, and are a ready sale. To insure a good crop, however, he manures the ground heavily every year, thus keeping up the vitality of the trees and insuring a certain crop. There are hundreds of orchards in this county which could be made to bring good money with the same care that is given other crops.

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MICHIGAN.

Dowagiac aldermen have voted to pave the business streets of that city.

Pontiac Y. M. C. A. has 212 members and there is a balance of \$459.60 in its treasury.

A lodge of Elks was organized at Ionia Thursday evening with a membership of 57.

The artists engaged for the Albion music festival are Otto Friedheim, pianist; Flavire Van Den Hende, violincellist; Frank King Clarke, basso; Lucille Stevenson, soprano, and Holmes Cowper, tenor. The time determined upon for holding the festival this year is May 8 to 10.

Michigan pensions were granted Thursday as follows: Additional—Joseph Shaw, Charlotte, \$6 to \$10; Joseph Osworth, St. Louis, \$6 to \$12. Supplemental—Stephen B. Nowlin, Clifford, \$6. Increase—Albert Buchanan, Detroit, \$6 to \$8. War with Spain, original—Frank J. Manning, Marcellus, \$30.

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Boers Again Drive Buller Across the Tugela.

ANOTHER FAILURE IS RECORDED.

Latest Effort to Relieve Ladysmith Comes to Naught—London Is Dismayed at the News from the Front.

Boer Head Laager, Ladysmith, Thursday, Feb. 8.—The British who were in possession of the kopje at Molens drift abandoned it after a bombardment by Boer cannon this morning and retired across the Tugela river to their former position.

Believed in London.

London, Feb. 10.—London accepts as true the Boer statement that Gen. Buller has failed again. These statements were passed by the British censor at Aden and are read in the light of Mr. Balfour's announcement in the commons that Gen. Buller is not pressing his advance.

A special dispatch from Spearman's camp dated Friday noon says that, owing to the Boer cross fire and the impossibility of intrenching Vaal Krantz, Gen. Buller's force withdrew. The Financial News, which publishes this dispatch, suggests that Gen. Buller has not yet actually recrossed the Tugela.

Balfour's Statement.

London, Feb. 10.—Mr. Balfour, the government leader, replying to a question in the house of commons Friday evening as to whether any information had been received from the seat of war, said:

"Our information points to the fact that Gen. Buller is not pressing in a line from the position he has occupied. We do not consider it right to press him for details of the operations which are in progress, nor if he gives such information do we deem it proper to make the public until such operations are completed. The government had no information as to whether Gen. Macdonald has recrossed."

Utterly Dismayed.

London, Feb. 10.—The war office has evidently heard nothing of Gen. Buller's retreat as described in the dispatch from the Boer head laager, Ladysmith, February 8. When shown the Boer dispatch the officials appeared utterly dismayed. Apparently they had not the least suspicion of the possibility of such an outcome of the operations.

MacDonald's Retirement.

Gen. Macdonald's retirement puzzles the military commentors. The theory that finds acceptance is that it was ordered by Lord Roberts, and that both Gen. Buller's and Gen. Macdonald's operations were by the direction of the commander in chief, in order to occupy the Boers at widely separated points, so they would be unable to transfer any portion of their forces to oppose the projected central advance.

May Be the Last Attempt.

London, Feb. 10.—The Times, dealing with the military situation, says:

"It often takes but a single mistake to bring about another attempt will be made. The terrible initial strategic mistake of abandoning the principal objective for a subsidiary operation still so weighs the mind that the time approaches when it is far easier to withdraw from the field of battle than to make a final effort to hold the line. The greater part of the war will be fought in Natal."

British Repulsed.

Pretoria, Monday, Feb. 5.—Col. Pumpher's force February 2 attacked the Boer position near Raimondia, and, after heavy fighting, including an endeavor to take the place by storm, the British were repulsed. Their loss is unknown. No Boers were injured.

Train and Troops Forced Back.

Head Laager, Ladysmith, Wednesday, Feb. 7.—An armored train yesterday made a sortie from Chieveley towards Colenso and landed 200 British troops on the right of the Boer position. The Boers immediately crossed the river and made an attack with rifles and artillery, forcing the withdrawal. Both the train and the troops were repulsed.

Methuen Orders a Retirement.

Kelsoesberg, Brit., Feb. 8.—The Boers yesterday made a determined attempt to drive the British from their laager in the drift. Making two simultaneous attacks on the northern extremity, they seized the position temporarily, the whole day. The Southern highlanders gained a position on the rocky summit and kept up a constant rifle fire, but suffered a somewhat from the Boer fire. Methuen's two companies of the Argyle Highlanders advanced along the plateau, a westerly direction, and the Boers entrenched at a small drift. A sharp engagement followed, lasting the whole day.

Gen. Methuen had only a portion of his troops in order to come into contact with the Boers. In order to do this, Gen. Methuen was despatched from the Modder river with a large force of cavalry and two batteries of horse artillery, but failed to reach him, although he started early enough in the day to enable him to get there in time this afternoon. This morning Gen. Methuen ordered that the commando force should retire upon the Modder river, which movement is not proceeding. The British losses in the fighting on Wednesday were 50 men killed or wounded.

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A LOCAL FABLE.

Once upon a time some men raised a large amount of money and built a line of railroad. When the road was completed they bought a huge engine and nice cars. The engine was put on the track and so were the cars. There was no coal in the fire box and the men said that they would buy none for they had spent all they could afford to build the road and buy the engine. They declared that the engine ought to run itself and so no one ever heard of the road. It did not run. But the men are happy as they saved the price of a few tons of coal.

Benton Harbor has built the road, has bought the engine and rolling stock and is ready for a great harvest of business but it will not come unless a few dollars is spent in coal.

The coal needed in the Benton Harbor case is publicity.

THE Kalamazoo Telegraph will next week install a double deck Potter perfecting press, capable of printing 4, 6 and 8 page papers at a speed of 24,000 per hour. The Telegraph has been using a Cox duplex press, capable of printing 4,000 per hour. There are not many towns the size of Kalamazoo where a faster press than the Cox is needed. This is no evidence that Kalamazoo is a better city than others of a like population, but it again emphasizes the fact that the Telegraph is a better paper than can be found in any other city the size of Kalamazoo.

REV. A. K. Beem, pastor of the Universalist church, today uses some display space in THE NEWS to advertise his services tomorrow. While this is an innovation among the Benton Harbor churches it is a legitimate and business-like way of bringing before the people the church services.

THE Boers ought to allow the British to win one battle. Thus far the Boers have always won and the stories from the front are becoming so monotonous that the public will soon lose all interest and the work of raising Boer subscriptions in this country will be handicapped.

CONCERT TONIGHT.

Do Not Miss the Temple Quartette of Boston.

The Temple Quartette of Boston, which has a national reputation, will give the last entertainment in the Y. M. C. A. lecture course at the M. E. church this evening.

The reserved seats are having a large sale and there promises to be a large attendance at the concert. This is the best male quartette that has come to Benton Harbor in several years.

VERY PLEASING PROGRAM

Has Been Prepared for Episcopal Entertainment.

Following is the program for the Episcopal entertainment to be given at Conkey's hall next Monday evening:

Overture..... Prof. Null

Footback Drill..... Twelve Little Boys

Parlour Dancing Dolls..... Evelyn and Ursula

Music..... Prof. Null

Coon Song and Dance..... Mrs. Harris and Miss Davies

Followed by the farce, "Stage Struck Idiots," with the following cast:

Mr. Maywood, an elderly merchant, Dan Peters

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Mrs. Cowslip, an old country woman,..... Miss Bridgeman

Cora Neville, her niece,..... Mrs. Harry Prescott

After the program there will be dancing. Prof. Null will furnish the music.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there it at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, 75c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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Old papers for sale at this office.

Millions in the United States number 160,000 men.

Coal famine in Russia caused the czar to suspend import duties.

The bubonic plague at Honolulu is believed to be under control.

The British government will ask £20,000,000 with which to build new ships.

It is announced that a trolley line across northern New Jersey is now a certainty.

Many Hollanders favor annexation of the Netherlands to Germany to protect interests in Dutch colonies.

Arrangements have been completed for the national anti-trust conference in Chicago three days next week.

Thirty-nine young Chicago men will leave the city for South Africa to act as ambulance corps to the Boer army.

The visit of Prince Henry of Prussia to the emperor of Austria-Hungary is looked upon as having political significance.

Bertram Brown, probably the oldest newspaper man in the west, died at Anchorage, Mont., at the advanced age of 84 years.

J. Walter Kennedy, once a famous sculptor, but of late years an actor and teacher of dramatics, is dead of pneumonia in Boston.

In the Reichstag Herr Richter instructed that the British seizure of German ships was part of a plan to get votes for the naval bill.

James B. Brown (colored) was hanged in the Hudson county jail at Jersey City for the murder of Policeman Gebhart, in Hoboken.

Battleships and rapid-fire guns are said to constitute the real strength of the navy, judged by the lessons of the Spanish-American war.

A special from Juarez, Mexico, says: James Watcher, who murdered Col. John Stone, of Kingfisher, O. T., January 12, was arrested here.

The death is announced in Birmingham, Eng., of Nobby Clarke, a famous prize fighter of the old days of bare knuckles. He was 60 years old.

A special dispatch from Cairo says the mutiny of Soudanese troops at Khartoum has assumed serious proportions and is causing great anxiety.

Prof. Arthur C. McGiffert, of Union theological seminary, will appear before the New York presbytery next Monday to answer to the charge of heresy.

The cabinet had a short session Friday in order to attend the funeral services of Gen. Lawton. The principal subject of discussion was the plague situation in Hawaii.

Gen. Ludlow, military governor of Hawaii, is making arrangements for the appointment of a board of health for Hawaii with the view of probable abolition of the military department.

The post office department has been informed of the arrest by an inspector of Harriet W. Day, a carrier on the stage route between Dixon and Van Cleve, Mo. W. Day is accused of rifling the mails.

The failure of John Collins, a member of the New York cotton exchange, was announced at the opening of the market Friday, but later he announced he would pay dollar for dollar and resume business.

The new Russian steam dredge Devolant, which left the Clyde December 21, for Odessa, is overdue, and has been given up as lost. It is surmised that she foundered in the channel. There were 19 persons on board.

The small speck of trouble that existed in the relations between the United States and Nicaragua, owing to the extortions of double duties from American merchants in Bluefields last summer by Gen. Torres, has been removed.

Benjamin Royce, a well-to-do farmer near Dixie, Wash., was shot to death by his grandson, Frank Royce, who afterwards cremated the body and committed suicide. The murdered man's aged wife narrowly escaped his fate.

To Be Buried on Monday.

Terre Haute, Ind., Feb. 10.—Col. R. W. Thompson's funeral will be held Monday afternoon at two o'clock.

To Be Prepared

For war is the surest way for this nation to maintain peace. That is the opinion of the wisest statesmen. It is equally true that to be prepared for spring is the best way to avoid the peculiar dangers of the sea-on. This is a lesson multitudes are learning, and at this time, when the blood is sure to be loaded with impurities and to be weak and sluggish, the millions begin to take Hood's Sar-aparilla, which purifies, enriches and vitalizes the blood, expels all disease germs, creates a good appetite, gives strength and energy and puts the whole system in a healthy condition, preventing pneumonia, fevers, and other dangerous diseases which are liable to attack a weakened system.

THE CHURCHES.

Subjects to Be Discussed From City Pulpits Tomorrow.

HOLY TRINITY.—Rev. Frederic Welham, rector. Pipestone street, near Maple; telephone 2-8. Twin City company. Sunday services: 10:30 a. m.: Morning prayer and sermon, 7:30: Evening prayer and sermon. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Week days: Celebration of the Holy Communion on Sundays at 9:30 a. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Carner Pipestone and Church streets, Rev. C. E. Maxfield, pastor. Residence 101 Broadway. An evangelistic service will be held Sunday evening to be conducted by the pastor. The pastor will also preach in the morning at the usual hour.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. W. J. Cady, Pastor. Preaching at 10:30 and 7:30 a. m.; subject, "The Gubernatorial contest now existing at Frankfort, Kentucky." Class meeting at 11:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 12:30; A. G. 30 prayer meeting.

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. W. J. Cady, Pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m.; subject, "The Gubernatorial contest now existing at Frankfort, Kentucky." Class meeting at 11:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 12:30; A. G. 30 prayer meeting.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—Rev. A. K. Beem, pastor. Resid. 101 Main St., Case Avenue. Morning service, "Prayer and Worship in Church." Evening service, "The Book of Job."

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. W. J. Cady, Pastor. Services subject, "God's Grace to Gentiles." Evening service, "The temptation of Christ."

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Rev. J. W. Taylor, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at noon. Y. P. S. C. meeting at 6 o'clock.

Y. M. C. A.—Men's meeting at 3 o'clock. Rev. C. E. Maxfield will speak on "Grit, Grace and Gumption."

ST. JOHN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH—Rev. Fr. Mulcahy, pastor. Services tomorrow at 8 and 10:30 a. m. Vespers at 7:30 p. m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. F. A. Bonham, pastor. Preaching at 10:30 and 7 p. m.

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"I suffered untold agony every month, could get no relief until I tried your medicine; your letter of advice and a few bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound have made me the happiest woman alive. I shall bless you as long as I live." —Miss Joe Saul, Dover, Mich.

"Four years ago I had almost given up hope of ever being well again. I was afflicted with those dreadful headache spells which would sometimes last three or four days. Also had back-ache, bearing-down pains, leucorrhea, dizziness, and terrible pains at monthly periods confining me to my bed. After reading so many testimonials for your medicine, I concluded to try it. I began to pick up after taking the first bottle, and have continued to gain rapidly, and now feel like a different woman. I can recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in highest terms to all sick women." —Miss Rosa Held, 126 W. Cleveland Ave., Canton, O.

Another Case of Kidney, Womb and Bladder Trouble Cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

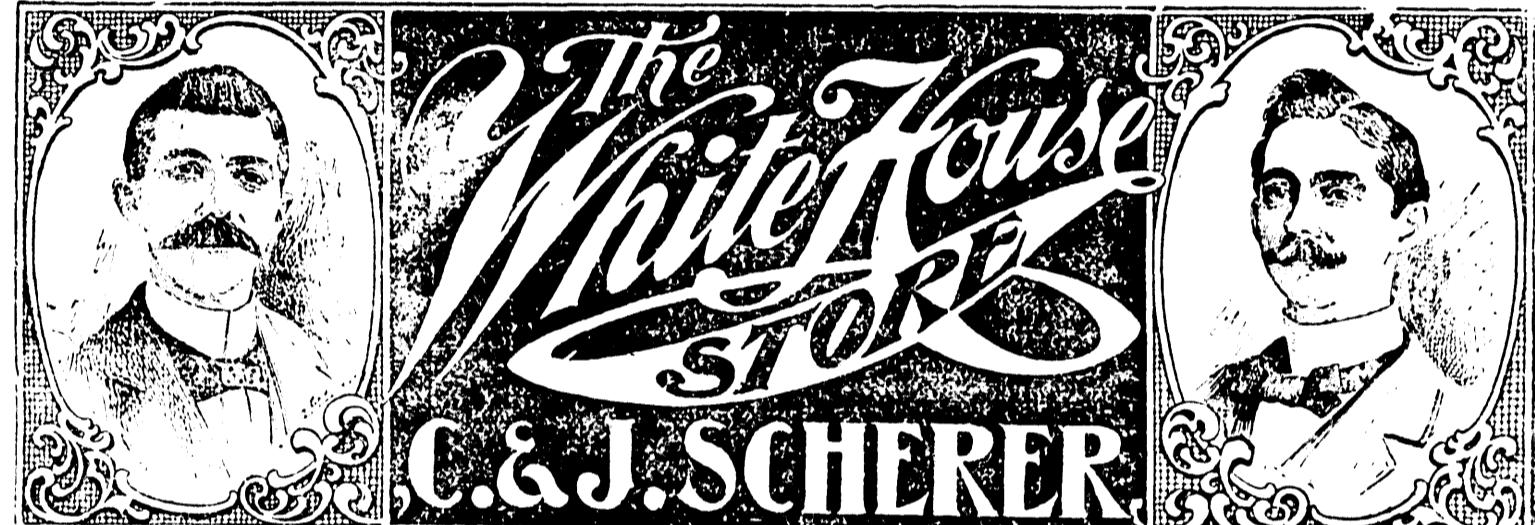
"DEAR FRIEND—Two years ago I had child-bed fever and womb trouble in its worst form. For eight months after birth of babe I was not able to sit up. Doctors treated me, but with no help. I had bearing-down pains, burning in stomach, kidney and bladder trouble, and my back was so stiff and sore. The right ovary was badly affected and everything I ate distressed me, and there was a bad discharge.

"I was confined to my bed when I wrote to you for advice and followed your directions faithfully, taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, Liver Pills, and using the Wash, and am now able to do the most of my housework. I believe I should have died if it had not been for your Compound. I hope this letter may be the result of benefiting some other suffering woman. I recommended your Compound to every one." —Mrs. Mary Vaughan, Trimble, Pulaski Co., Ky.

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Genuine Cake Walk.

There will be a grand ball and cake walk given at Conkey's hall February 14, under the auspices of F. H. Howard, C. A. Braggs, O. P. Michell, A. Mitchell. The cake walk will consist of the champion couples from Illinois, Indiana and Michigan. Spectators, 25 cents.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

TEMPEL Quartette tonight.

THE county jail now has twenty-four inmates.

J. C. CALKINS, the grocer, has a new advertisement in THE NEWS today.

RESERVED seats for the Temple Quartette have been going like hot cakes.

THE many friends of Mrs. Fred Dewey, nee Rose Carney, will be pained to learn of her death, Wednesday, February 7, at her home in Decatur.

THE Anderson-Tully basket factory has let the contract for building its new warehouse to be 110x50 feet to W. H. Richards. Work will soon be commenced.

THE Episcopal social at Mrs. P. W. Hall's rooms was well attended. Games and music furnished entertainment for the evening. Choice refreshments were served.

DON'T forget the entertainment at Conkey's hall next Monday evening to be given by the young ladies of the Episcopal church. This will be a delightful entertainment.

ALL members of Prudential lodge, A. O. U. W., are requested to meet to-night at 8 o'clock to arrange for the funeral of brother George Babcock. By order of the Master Workman.

FRANK Welton, cashier of the First National bank of Traverse City, writes: "Am very glad that Benton Harbor secured the overall factory and trust that it may prove all that you hope for."

OSCAR Lindman, better known as "Oscar Oscar," was lodged in the city jail last night for being drunk. This morning he appeared before Justice Graves and paid a fine of \$5 and costs.

THERE will be no difficulty experienced in securing enough hands for the Farwell overall factory. Already a score of girls have left their names with President Miller of the board of trade.

THE Erie telephone system made a net gain of 3,669 subscribers in January, making the total number connected January 31, 110,233. The net gain in Michigan was 959. Total connected, 33,460.

G. M. BARTINGER, the funeral director, is now located in his new store at 18 Pipestone street. He has the times of funeral cars and a new device for lowering caskets in the grave. Read his advertisement.

ON February 27 and 28 the railroads will give a one fare rate to Ann Arbor and return, good for return to March 3. Those who have children attending the state university can make them a visit at no expense.

BERT Seely, who was op rated on for appendicitis this week at Mercy hospital, is getting along finely and will probably be at work in two weeks.

Patients suffering from this disease can be operated on at home as successfully as in Chicago.

W. H. SEITZ has purchased the interest of L. S. Tryon in the firm of Tryon & Brown. The new firm will be Brown & Seitz. Mr. Seitz is a practical butler man and he established the business with Mr. Tryon in which he has again become interested.

THE Dowagiac Republican gives Sheriff Ferguson the following suggestion: The sheriff of Berrien has some bloodhounds, but they have never captured a criminal. They might be put on the trail of the man down in Milton who stole a neighbor's skunks—half a dozen of them—as the scents is still warm.

THE mothers' meeting of the Florence Crittenton mission circle and W. C. T. U. will be held Monday afternoon, February 12, at 2:30 o'clock at the Rescue Mission rooms on West Main street. All interested in gospel temperance reform are cordially invited. To all mothers we say, come and help and be helped.

JAMES Scott, who for many years lived in this city and owned an extensive dry line, is now comfortably located at Asbury, Ind. He has married a lady of that town, has joined the church and is running a first class shoe shop. Mr. Scott has many friends here who will be pleased to learn that he is so pleasantly situated.

S. S. BREWER, president of the People's Transit company, was in the city yesterday making arrangements for his company this season. The Lawrence will start making tri-weekly trips from this port to Milwaukee about March 1. R. D. Farmer is the secretary of the company and will have charge of the business in this city.

THE Benton Harbor Lodge K. O. T. M. is on the team. At last night's review four contestants were shown the mysteries of knighthood and one was sent down the line to a merry tune in the oriental, after which a lunch was served. An amusement committee was appointed and it can be expected that in the near future the Macabees will do me hing in this line that will be worthy of consideration.

C. A. JACKSON and staff of the Metropolitan returned today from South Bend where they attended a district meeting held Friday afternoon. At the same time and place the several stalls consisting of sixty men gave a farewell banquet to the retiring superintendent, H. S. McCrae, who goes to a larger field at Columbus, Ohio. The banquet was an elaborate affair for one gotten up on so short a notice and was held in the evening at the Oliver.

THOSE desiring to subscribe to the Topeka Capital during the week as it is edited by Rev. Charles Sheldon, beginning with March 13, 1900, will

do so at the post office or with Miss Chadwick on Main street. The management of the paper desires to have all subscriptions in by February 25, if possible. The price will be 25 cents for the week.

THE \$1,000 reward which was offered for the capture of Smith and Bronk, the Meier murderers, has been divided. The Chicago detective Hartell received \$500 of the money while the other \$500 was divided with City Marshal Eldridge of Buchanan and Constable Boyer of the same place. William Taylor, the man who informed the police, Alvin Morley and William Kramer of Glendale, Attorney Victor M. Gore represented Marshal Eldridge.

LAST night the back door of Donohue's saloon, located on West Main street, was broken open and five quarts of whiskey, about \$4 in money and some cigars were taken. This morning the robbery was reported to Chief of Police Johnson and he at once commenced a search for the robbers. He traced them to a house near Heath's mill which is known as the half way house. When the men saw the officers jumped from an upstairs window and tried to escape and it was only at the point of revolvers that they stopped running. The thieves are Frank Ledger and John Cramer, two old offenders. The men had their examination and were bound over to the circuit court this afternoon.

A Card.

We, the undersigned, do hereby agree to refund the money on a 50-cent bottle of Greene's Warranted Syrup of Tar if it fails to cure your cough or cold. We also guarantee a 25-cent bottle to prove satisfactory or money refunded.

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Their 25c Coffee 20c
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The sale will include the famous Santa Vay coffee in one pound tin cans, regular 30c coffee which will go at this introductory sale at 25c. Their Baner regular 35c coffee will go at 25c.

This will be the greatest coffee sale ever held in the city. All the stock is new and fresh and the sale is made simply to let the public become acquainted with their brands.

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

Chicago, Feb. 9.
WHEAT—Weak and over. May opened at 65c, fell to 62c, back to 64c. July sold from 64c to 65c and the

CORN—Steady. Cash quoted at 32c, 32 1/2c. May at 32c, 32 1/2c; July at 31c, 31 1/2c and 32c.

KY: In good demand, "shorts" covering and prices higher. No. 1 red, No. 2, about 36c, and No. 4, 38c. Very little sample bring more. May, 30c.

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BARLEY—Fair stale and steady. Screenings, 30c. Feed, 15c. Export, 35c for 400 weight. Low grade, 30c. 36c, 38c, 40c, 42c, 44c, 46c, 48c, 50c, 52c, 54c, 56c, 58c, 60c, 62c, 64c, 66c, 68c, 70c, 72c, 74c, 76c, 78c, 80c, 82c, 84c, 86c, 88c, 90c, 92c, 94c, 96c, 98c, 100c, 102c, 104c, 106c, 108c, 110c, 112c, 114c, 116c, 118c, 120c, 122c, 124c, 126c, 128c, 130c, 132c, 134c, 136c, 138c, 140c, 142c, 144c, 146c, 148c, 150c, 152c, 154c, 156c, 158c, 160c, 162c, 164c, 166c, 168c, 170c, 172c, 174c, 176c, 178c, 180c, 182c, 184c, 186c, 188c, 190c, 192c, 194c, 196c, 198c, 200c, 202c, 204c, 206c, 208c, 210c, 212c, 214c, 216c, 218c, 220c, 222c, 224c, 226c, 228c, 230c, 232c, 234c, 236c, 238c, 240c, 242c, 244c, 246c, 248c, 250c, 252c, 254c, 256c, 258c, 260c, 262c, 264c, 266c, 268c, 270c, 272c, 274c, 276c, 278c, 280c, 282c, 284c, 286c, 288c, 290c, 292c, 294c, 296c, 298c, 300c, 302c, 304c, 306c, 308c, 310c, 312c, 314c, 316c, 318c, 320c, 322c, 324c, 326c, 328c, 330c, 332c, 334c, 336c, 338c, 340c, 342c, 344c, 346c, 348c, 350c, 352c, 354c, 356c, 358c, 360c, 362c, 364c, 366c, 368c, 370c, 372c, 374c, 376c, 378c, 380c, 382c, 384c, 386c, 388c, 390c, 392c, 394c, 396c, 398c, 400c, 402c, 404c, 406c, 408c, 410c, 412c, 414c, 416c, 418c, 420c, 422c, 424c, 426c, 428c, 430c, 432c, 434c, 436c, 438c, 440c, 442c, 444c, 446c, 448c, 450c, 452c, 454c, 456c, 458c, 460c, 462c, 464c, 466c, 468c, 470c, 472c, 474c, 476c, 478c, 480c, 482c, 484c, 486c,

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KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS, PURITAN Lodge No. 117, meets every Thursday evening at Castle Hall. Odd Fellows block. Visiting Knights cordially invited to meet with us in the city. M. A. PRICE, C. C. JOHN A. CRAWFORD, K. of R. and S.

COURT OF HONOR, BENTON HARBOR. District Court No. 745 meets every Friday night at G. A. R. hall.

J. B. HANSON, Chancellor. W. F. SEEL, Recorder. Assessments will be received at Kreiger & Seel's grocery, 121 Territorial street.

BENTON DIVISION, COURT NO. 1, ORDER OF Patriotic, meets every Tuesday evening in Modern Woodmen hall. All visiting Patriots cordially invited.

EDGAR P. WHALEN, Justice. B. J. MORRISON, clerk.

KNIGHTS OF THE MACCAHES, BENTON Tent, No. 104, meets at Odd Fellows hall. regular review every Friday evening. W. SHANKLAND, Com. R. P. CHADDOCK, F. K. L. N. MURRAY, R. K.

LADIES OF THE MACCAHES, BENTON. Ave. No. 545, meets at Odd Fellows hall, first and third Wednesday of each month at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting members will be welcome.

EMMA NULL, Lady Commander. LILA CHISP, Record Keeper. CARRIE MARTIN, Finance Keeper.

BENTON LODGE NO. 122, I. O. O. F., MEETS Every Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in their lodge room opposite the post office. All visiting brothers are cordially invited.

CHARLES BENNETT, N. G.

H. O. JOHNSON, Secy. Margot Lodge, D. of R., meets every alternate Saturday evening. Mrs. Nellie Johnson, N. G. B. O. Johnson, Secy.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA, IVY Leaf Camp No. 601 meets every Monday evening at the Woodmen Hall on West Main street. Visiting Woodmen will be cordially entertained.

H. S. ANNIS, V. C. N. G. WENELL Clerk.

HARBOR CAMP, NO. 355, ROYAL NEIGHBORS of America, meet every first and third Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at Modern Woodmen Hall on West Main street. Visiting Neighbors cordially welcomed. Auxiliary to Modern Woodmen of America.

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WANTED—LARGE SECOND HAND FILE PROOF safe. Address care H. H. this office.

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WANTED—A GOOD GIRL TO ASSIST with baby and light house work. Apply to Mrs. H. B. Kidd, Sweet block, 1054.

LOST.

LOST—A BLACK LEATHER POCKET book between Washington and Kirby streets. Finder return to this office and receive reward.

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FOR RENT—4 FINE STEAM HEATED OFFICES, second floor of Graham & Morton block. Suit d for doctor or lawyer. Call Graham & Morton offices. 1045.

FOR SALE—A GOOD STRONG ONE HORSE wagon, \$12. A good swell box cutter \$8, not taken this week. Enquire O. V. Runyan, 167 Laird street. *10826.

FOR RENT—A SEVEN OR EIGHT ROOM house on Madison street in Mills addition. For particulars inquire of B. B. Spencer, at Spencer & Barnes. 100ft.

FOR SALE—150 TONS OF GOOD TIMOTHY hay. James McDonald, Stock exchange building.

FURNISHED ROOMS—30 CENTS TO \$1.50. If you are dissatisfied with your present room or would like to be one block from main corners call 111 Oak street. 582.

FOR SALE—GOOD, NEW TEN ROOM house in McDonald and Paackard addition, good for boarding house. H. L. Nelson, 148 Heck Court. Will take good horse as part payment.

FOR SALE—ONE LUMBER WAGON AND all tools for raising sugar beets except the seeder. H. L. Nelson, 145 Heck Court. 5822.

FOR SALE—STEAM ENGINE, 35 HORSE power, steam drill, steel boiler, steam pump, rubber belt, two griststones, emery wheels, polishing wheels, blower, main shaft, cupulo, flasks, moulding sand. Complete roundout outfit, sell by piece or entire outfit to suit purchaser. Inquire of S. Hull, 130 Park street. *5726.

FOR RENT—FLATS IN THE YORE BLOCK. Hot water, gas ranges and janitor service. Enquire Don C. Morrison, Yore block, Sixth street.

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MONEY TO LOAN ON PERSONAL property and real estate. W. G. Newland, over Dunbar's meat market.

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Wednesday,
Feb. 7, 1900

Wednesday, all our \$10.00,
\$12.50, \$15 and \$18 Ladies'
Jackets, at \$7 50
Thursday bal. left go at \$7 00
Friday bal. left go at \$6 50
Saturday bal. left go at \$6 00
Monday bal. left go at \$5 50
Tuesday bal. left go at \$5 00
Wednesday bal. left go at \$4 50

Wednesday, all our \$6.00,
\$7 00, \$8.00 and \$9.00 Lad-
ies' Jackets at \$5 50
Thursday bal. left go at \$5 00
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Saturday bal. left go at \$4 00
Monday bal. left go at \$3 50
Tuesday bal. left go at \$3 00
Wednesday bal. left go at \$2 50

Wednesday all our \$4.50, \$5.00
and \$6.00 Misses' and Chil-
dren's Jackets at \$4 00
Thursday bal. left go at \$3 75
Friday bal. left go at \$3 50
Saturday bal. left go at \$3 25
Monday bal. left go at \$3 00
Tuesday bal. left go at \$2 75
Wednesday bal. left go at \$2 50

Wednesday all our \$3.00, \$3.50
and \$4.00 Misses' and Chil-
dren's Jackets at \$2 50
Thursday bal. left go at \$2 25
Friday bal. left go at \$2 00
Saturday bal. left go at \$1 75
Monday bal. left go at \$1 50
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SOCIETY AND PERSONAL

Miss Ella Parks of Battle Creek is visiting her cousin, L. A. Parks of this city.

William Dallin, the promoter of the Toledo road, is in the city today on business.

Captain John Robinson and family left this morning to spend six weeks in California.

Miss Pearl Wentworth has gone to Albion and Jackson for a few months' visit with relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. A. Owens of Chicago is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Barnes. Her husband has gone south for a few weeks.

Harry Darling, who now makes his home in South Bend, arrived in the city this morning to spend Sunday with his mother.

C. J. Peck and son Roland leave tomorrow for a few days' visit with relatives and friends at Detroit, Ann Arbor and Grass Lake.

John Robinson and family left this morning for a trip to California. They will meet Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Hipp in Chicago this evening and leave for the west. The party will visit Mrs. Woodruff, formerly Miss Rose Sweet at Cripple Creek and will be gone six weeks.

The S. G. H. M. spent a social time Friday evening with Miss Esther O'Donnell. The papers on the life of Cooper were very interesting and light refreshments were served.

Ossoli club met yesterday at the home of Mrs. S. M. White. The subject for the afternoon was Russia. Sentiments on "Freedom" was given in response to roll call. The papers for the afternoon were as follows: "The Enslavement and the Emancipation of the Serfs," Mrs. W. D. Downey; "Nihilism in Russia," prepared by Mrs. E. M. Bass, read by Mrs. J. T. Owens; "The Jews in Russia," Mrs. J. H. Lee; "The Turk-Russian War," Mrs. A. A. Patterson. General discussion on current events. Mrs. Chas. Stone, Mrs. S. B. Van Horn and Miss Ada Stevens furnished delightful music for the afternoon. The club will meet February 16, with Mrs. Allmendinger.

The Crickets meet next Monday with Mrs. Harper on Ogden avenue.

A company of eighteen ladies met last evening at the home of Mrs. J. W. Lundy on Winans street, at which time a carpet rag bee took place. Tea was served and a very sociable time was enjoyed.

Miss Ferne Beebe very pleasantly entertained the A. C. O. D. club at her home last evening. Light refreshments were served after which Miss Ferne entertained the company by a number of musical selections.

ST. JOSEPH.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Vincent and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hamilton entertained a number of their friends with a 6:30 o'clock dinner last evening at the Hotel Whitecomb. After the dinner the guests were entertained with progressive pedro.

GRAIN MARKET.

Following are the prices of grain and provisions on Chicago board of trade today furnished by E. W. Moore & Co., commission brokers:

	Close	Open	High	Low	Close	Yester
Wheat—	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
May.....	69	69 1/2	68 1/2	69 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
July.....	69	69 1/2	68 1/2	69 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Corn—	33 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
May.....	34 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
July.....	34 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Oats—	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
May.....	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
July.....	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2

Closing prices on the board today: May pork \$11.12 lard \$6.15 ribs \$6.05.

DANCING DOLLS.

E. B. Munday, a lawyer of Henrietta, Tex., once fooled a grave-digger. He says: "My brother was very low with malarial fever and jaundice. I persuaded him to try Electric Bitters, and he was soon much better, but continued their use until he was wholly cured. I am sure Electric Bitters saved his life." This remedy expels malaria, kills disease germs and purifies the blood; aids digestion, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, cures constipation, dyspepsia, nervous diseases, kidney troubles, female complaints; gives perfect health. Only 50¢ at Lowe & Witherspoon's drug store.

Feature At Entertainment by Holy Trinity Young Ladies.

The young ladies of Holy Trinity church will give one of their popular entertainments Monday evening, February 12, at Conkey's ball. The entertainment will be in charge of Mrs. Harry Prescott, who has secured Harris' famous Parisian dancing dolls, Evelyn and Ursula, for that evening. The entire program to be announced later. Dancing after the program. 6t10s

Remember next Thursday, February 15 is the last day of Rice's big discount on orders for picture frames. Orders taken now for delivery after he papers your rooms in early spring.

Look for No. 220, February 17, of the Appeal to Reason. This issue is devoted exclusively to municipal ownership statistics, non-partisan. No advertisements, worth 50¢ for future reference, all for a 2¢ stamp. Address Appeal to Reason, Girard, Kan. 1136

If your property is not insured against fire, don't wait another day but call up Hubbard & Van Horn, telephone No. 195, postoffice block. 107tf

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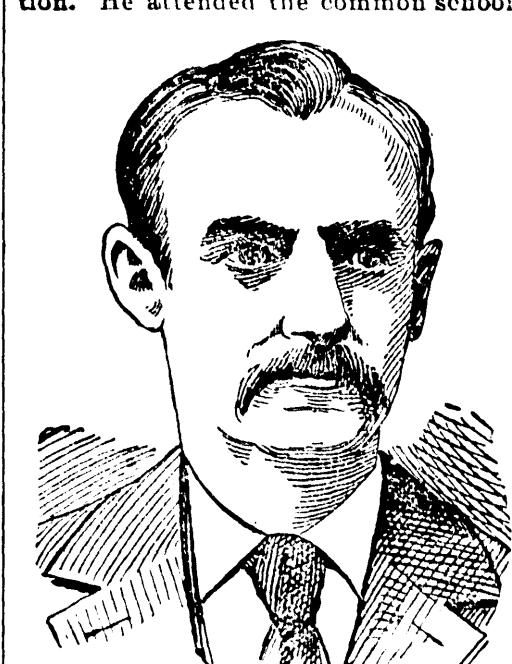
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WANTS TO BE GOVERNOR.

Judge Carter, of Chicago, Actively
in the Field for Nomination
by the Republicans.

Judge Orrin N. Carter was born in a log cabin on the banks of the St. Lawrence river, in Jefferson county, N. Y., in 1834. At the age of ten he moved with his mother and brothers to Illinois. They located on a farm two miles north of Wheaton. His father, who was a lake captain, died in Chicago when Judge Carter was one year old.

The judge's early life was a struggle. While compelled to work on the farm, he was determined to obtain an education. He attended the common school.



ORRIN N. CARTER.
(Chicago Judge Who Wants to Be Governor of Illinois.)

in winter until 1873, when he entered Wheaton college, being graduated in 1877. To meet his expenses there he taught school and worked as janitor at the college.

After graduating he came to Chicago and studied law under Judge Tuley and Gen. L. N. Stiles, and was admitted to the bar in 1880. He began the practice of his profession, however, at Morris, Grundy county, with R. M. Wing and S. C. Stow. For six years he was the prosecuting attorney for that county.

In 1890 Judge Carter opened an office in Chicago, and in 1892 was appointed attorney for the sanitary district, holding the office until 1894, when he was elected county judge by 52,000 plurality. It was while he was attorney that the drainage board secured most of the canal right of way.

Judge Carter is also the real head of the election commissioners, and has charge of the election machinery of Chicago.

In 1891 Judge Carter married Miss Nettie S. Steven, daughter of Allen Steven, of La Salle county. They have two children and live at 1331 West Monroe street, Chicago.

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Prayer and Worship to Change Man Not God.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Feb. 10, 1900.
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A. K. BEEM, Pastor.

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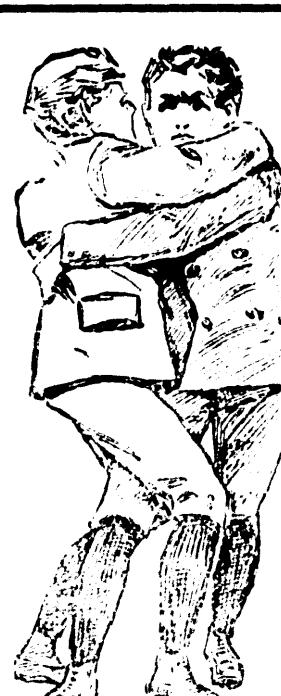
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